ddress-Personal. WASHINGTON, January 31 .-- 1 met a New Yorker to-day who is a close friend of Mr. Cleveland, and he said the Admin stration will be thoroughly Democratic. He thought that all of the short cuts to deprive the incoming President from filling offices will be abortive. Said he: "Do you suppose that if a Sunday school were established Bob Ingersoll would be superintendent, or that its teachers would be followers of such an infidel?" I replied in the negative. "Then do you think that a fight made upon the issue of 'turn the rascals out' can be so changed after victory as to keep them all in?" I had to reply that I did not see how any such result could be expected. I did not care to tell him that I knew Mr. Cleveland would do all that he anticipated. The fact is that the Republicans who expect to receive especial protection under the civil-ser-vice and the tenure-of-office act had better have clean hands.

THE CABINET.

The visit of Mr. Randall to Mr. Cleveland and that of Speaker Carlisle gives additional interest to the appointments of Cabinet advisers to the incoming President. It is known that coming President. It is known that neither cares to fill any position in the Cabinet, and thus they show an appreciation of the hold they have in the House. The one is Speaker and the other such a leader as Mr. Gladstone is in the House. in the House of Commons, Either would be dwarfed by being Secretary of the Interior or Secretary of the War

THE RIVER-AND-HARBOR BILL. There was quite an extended discussion to-day on limiting the debate on the river-and-harbor bill, but it was finally determined not to limit it. The opposition to the bill was shown the ier day to be about thirty-nine These can filibuster and call ayes and noes, but the bill as it came from the committee will pass. This is the judgment of its friends. In its present shape it gives James river \$150,000 and other Virginia rivers and harbors a liberal allowance. Our Virginia representatives have learned not to reject appropria tions to Virginia on constitutional quibbles. I had a talk with a most practical southerner to-day on this subject. Said he: "I have no scruples about the river-and-harbill or the educational bill.' I wanted him to continue, for I knew he was a State's rights Democrat of the strictest sect. He went on to say, " Do you suppose if I were in partnership with with a man in a dry-goods store and he gave his wife velvet, satin, and sealskin out of the concern, that I would allow my wife to be clad in calico if there was to be no charge against either partner as to the outfit? THE SENATE

was not in session to-day, and its members think that the House does not fur nish it enough measures to keep it employed. There is always a resort, howver, for the Senate can go in executive ssion on treaties. THE ARKANSAS SENATORSHIP.

Early to-day the information came to the Arkansas congressman that Jones had beaten Dunn for senator. This was foreshadowed by the dispatches this morning. The new senator was a member of the State Senate in 1873 and a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1874. He was elected to the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, and Forty-ninth Congresses. The impression prevails amo here that if Senator Garland goes into the Cabinet that Representative Dunn, who was defeated for the senatorship by Mr. Jones, will be elected.

OPPOSITION TO LIEUTENANT GREELY I had formed a good opinion of Lieuas a very brave and adventurous officer. I hear, however, that there is opposition to appropriating money to appoint an he appointed to the position. Then I wanted to know the reason of this, and the reply was that he was not as humane as he should have been on the expedition which has given him fame. THE ORATION OF HON. JOHN W. DAN

Virginians here are looking with great interest to the address of the Hon. John W. Daniel. They know that it will reflect the greatest credit on his State and add to his fame as an orator. Governor Long, of Massachusetts, who is being pressed forward by New England, will read Mr. Winthrop's oration. I have already stated that he resembles in appearance the late M. R. H. Garnett. At one time I thought Virginia would be entirely ignored in the celebration of the completion of a monument in honor of her own Washington.

PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS.

Colonel Albert Ordway will be chief of staff to General Sheridan on the occasion of the dedication of the Washington monument, Linden Kent will be another aid. Major L. Blackford will represent Virginia. Fred. Sleith will represent North Carolina, and Colonel Robert White West Virginia. Among those protesting against the commissioners for making unjust discriminations in regard to street improvements in the northwestern section of the city is Colonel Robert I. Fleming, fremerly of Richmond, and now a

leading citizen here.

There is a prevailing opinion that hereafter the Naval Committee of the House will have more influence in controlling naval appropriations than here-tofore. Mr. Randall, it is reported, is in favor of this. His visit to Mr. Cleveland has not, however, changed his views in regard to the naval bill of

THE APPROPRIATION BILLS. I asked a member of the House today to give me his opinion about the chances of the passage of bills outside of the general appropriation bills. He replied, "There is no telling, but I am clined to think the chances are against them." Said I, "You know that the majority of the House is for the Blair bill." "Of course it is," he replied. "You people," said he, "seem to attach too much political importance to it. It ought to pass, and will be passed if it can be reached. All of you in ia nearly are for it, and it will be the fault of the rules if a direct vote is not reached on it before adjournment.

ERIEF NEWS ITEMS. The fact that Mr. Cleveland had sum moned the Vice-President-elect to Albary caused comment at the Capitol to-day. It was thought that he is taking

Government receipts to-day: Inter-revenue, \$306,890; customs, \$331,-

Mr. Gilliam, of your bar, was in the city to-day on legal business.

The Nava Retiring-Beard have reported adversely on the proposition to

etire Lieutenant-Commander E. B.

Representative Blanchard, of Louisiana, made an excellent speech to-day in favor of the river-and-harbor bill.

The friends of Senator Jonas, of the control tative Blanchard of Louis houisiana, claim that he has a spl show for a Cabinet position.

XLVIIITH CONGRESS. WASHINGTON, January 31, 1885.

The Senate was not in session to-day House of Representatives. On motion of Mr. Cox, of New York, the bill was passed amending the tenth section of the act to remove certain burdens from the American merchant marine. The bill so amends the section as to make it lawful for a seaman to allot a portion of his pay in liquidation of any just debt for board or clothing he have contracted prior to engagement, not exceeding one month's pay for board and one month's pay for clothing; and no allotment shall be pavable except to his wife, mother, or

other relative, or to original creditor, for board or clothing. Mr. Willis, of Kentucky, moved that the House go into Committee of the Whole on the river-and-harbor bill.

A discussion of three quarters of an hour ensued on a proposition made by Mr. Willis to limit the general debate to four hours. Finally the question of limiting the debate was laid upon the table, and at 1:30 P. M. the House went into committee (Mr. Hammond in the chair) on the bill indicated.

The bill was discussed until 5:15 P. M., when the committee rose and the House adjourned.

THE MILTON HOMICIDE. Particulars of the Shooting of Phelps by Matleck.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] DANVILLE, VA., January 31 .- L. H. Hunt, mayor of Milton, N. C., was here to-day, and gives the following account of the shooting of Phelps (colored) by A. T. Matlock in Milton:

Matlock, who had opened a bar-room had a small account against Phelps, and sent his brother, who was his partner, to collect it. Phelps did not pay the account, and cursed and abused Mat-lock. A. D. Matlock then went to see Phelps, and a quarrel ensued. Mat-lock kicked Phelps, and Phelps returned the blow, drew a large knife and pushed upon Matlock. Matlock backed out into the street, and as Phelps continued to advance he shot him in the leg. Phelps ontinuing to push forward, Matlock shot again, striking him on the head and killing him. Phelps was so close to Matlock when the last ball was fired that the fire from the pistol burnt his hair. Matlock became alarmed, passed over across the line immediately, and has not since been heard of.

Wreck of an Oyster Schooner-Lives Lost.
[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

ONANCOCK, January 31, 1885. Intelligence has just been received here of the wreck of the schooner Wake, Captain B. H. Kelso, of Acco mae, in the Chesapeake bay. Thurs day night, while returning from dredging on the western shore, the schooner encountered a terrific northwest wind, which drove her on the shoals near the mouth of Nandua creek, where she mouth of Nandua creek, where she soon began to break up. Four of the crew leaped into the water and swam to the saloon of George Mueller, on the crew leaped into the water and swam to the shore, nearly one mile distant. Two of the crew-a negro and a German-re-fused to leave the ship. The German, however, soon jumped out and swam ashere, but died from cold and ex- match. Instantly there was a loud exhaustion. The negro remained on the wreck till he was washed off by the waves and was drowned.

Found Dead with a Euliet-Hole in His

Temple.
[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] WYTHEVILLE, Jan. 31, 1885. with black Burnsides, was found this morning at the northwestern foot of Brushy mountain, Bland county, dead, with a bullet-hole through the centre of his temple. He was stripped of clothing, except his shirt. It is supposed that he was murdered by discharged Pocahontas miners. He had the appearance of a coal-miner.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, January 31, 1885. A. H. Burroughs and John H. Flood, Jr., the young lawyers who were arrested yesterday on the charge of being about to engage in a duel, were before the Mayor to-day, but the evidence was not sufficient to hold them in bonds, and upon the assurance of both gentlemen that the matter should proceed no further, the case was dismissed.

Tobacco Revenue in Lynchburg.

LYNCHEURG, VA., January 31 .-The amount of internal-revenue receipt here for January on manufactured to bacco is \$42,500, being about \$10,000 in excess of the amount collected during January last year.

What is Reported from Greenville, N. C. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., January 31 .- A report is current that a negro boy named Edwards, charged with burglary, was taken from jail at Green-Pitt county, his throat cut, and his body thrown into the river. The county authorities allege that the story is untrue; that the negro escaped, and was not hurt.

It is reported that the house of Wiley Cannon, a negro living near Greenville, was burned down, and three children consumed in the flames. Cannon was absent from home, and had locked the

Assaulted a Street-Car Conduc [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] BALTIMORE, January 31.-Colonel J. G. Ramsay, in charge of the United States troops at Fort McHenry, was arrested to-day for assaulting a street-car conductor who did not stop his car quickly enough to suit the Colonel. An effort was made to keep the matter quiet, but the conductor refused to

Earthquake in New York. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW YORK, January 31.—A low rumbling sound, like distant thunder, followed by a very perceptible trem-bling of the earth, startled the residents of Cortlandt, Yorktown, and other towns in Westchester county at five minutes after 5 o'clock this morning. Crockery and other ware were thrown from shelves. The shock was altogether too great to have been caused by anything except a genuine earth-

Acknowledgements.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 31 .- The Legislature has adopted a joint resolution returning thanks to William Henry Smith, formerly Secretary of State of Ohio, for the careful, correct, and fair manner in which he compiled the St. Clair papers. Mr. Smith is now general manager of the Associated

Why is a man in safety like a great remedy? One is secure, and St. Jacobs Oil is a cure.

CIVIL-SERVICE REPORM.

to Prohibit Removals, &c.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, January 31.-Rentative Mukhler, chairman of sentative Mukhler, chairman of the House Committee on Reform in the Civil Service, has been instructed by the committee to make an adverse report on the bill to prohibit the removal of any honorably discharged Union soldier, sailor, or marine, or widow, or dedier, sailor, or marine, or widow or dependent relative of any deceased Union soldier, sailor, or marine, from any office in the civil service of the United States, except for specified causes. The committee, in this report, says: The bill goes further in its control of the power of removal from office than the original tenure-of-office act, in that the power of removal in cases restricted by the bill could not be exercised even jointly by the President and Senate. Believing that the power of removal from office, wisely exercised, necessary to enable the Executive to fulfil the constitutional duty of administering the laws, your committee are of opinion that any legislation which so restricts that power is unconstitutional and inexpedient. Should the Executive abuse the power of removal. or use it for unworthy purposes, the or use it for the most of the remedy is with the people, or with the House and Senate by impeachment. But should the legislative branch, by But should the legislative restrictions upon appointments and re-movals, so bind the hands of the Executive and practically take from it the power of administering the laws, the constitutional functions of the Executive to see that the law be faithfully executed would be seriously impeded, for in such a case the administration of the laws might fall into the hands of subordinates for whose appointment the Executive was in

way responsible, and who might become unworthy or inefficient while in office. Under the provisions of the bill the Secretary of State, whose ideas of foreign policy might be totally opposite to those of the Executive, must be retained by him, and this though the Senate should concur in the propriety of appointing another in Under existing statutes the preference in appointment is given to many of this class of persons named in the bill, and the purposes of the statutes would, if liberally construed, be carried out by retaining such persons in office when their general fitness was apparent or when the proper objects of he Executive could best be carried out by so doing. But to provide that the Executive shall retain in office any person when he may think that some other person is better fitted to administer the trust, is in our opinion unwise and un constitutional. Public office must be regarded as a trust, and not as a mere reward for past services, however meritorious, and present usefulness should be the test in the incumbent. Your committee report the bill back adverse

ly, and recommend that it do not pass Fatal Gas Explosion

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] PITTSBURGH, PA., January 31. Three explosions of natural gas oc curred this morning near Thirty-fourth street on Pennsylvania avenue. Six people are reported killed, twenty in jured, and six to eight houses wrecked.

The explosions occurred in three buildings—the Iron-City Hotel, the opposite side of the street. The first explosion was in the cellar of Mrs Hammersdoeffer. Her sister went in the cellar for a basket, and struck a plosion, which almost shook the little building to pieces. She was badly burned and cannot recover. The second explosion was in Morris's cellar. Mrs Morris was badly bruised, and the peo ple in the saloon badly shaken up. The number of persons were injured. street-car was thrown from the track by the second explosion; scarcely a passenger escaped injury. Morris's and Mueller's houses were badly wrecked. and every house within a square was more or less damaged. Intense excitement prevailed, and a gang was formed to tear up the pipes to-night. The loss on buildings and stock is \$15,-000 to \$20,000. Fifteen or twenty persons were injured. Six will probably

Mr. Carlisle's Visit to President-elect

Cleveland. ALBANY, N. Y., January 31.— Speaker Carlisle and Mrs. Carlisle left here on the afternoon train for New York, after spending several hours at the residence of President-elect and Miss Cleveland. Before the departure of Speaker Carlisle Vice-Presidentelect Hendricks arrived, and was met Bank-Superintendent Willis S. Paine, who drove with him at once in a close carriage to the Kenmore, where rooms had been prepared. Mr. flendricks originally intended to leave on the 2:40 P. M. train with Speaker Carlisle, but concluded to postpone his departure until evening. His presence here created a stir in po-litical circles. Before leaving Speaker Carlisle said that he passed a most plea sant evening with Mr. C'eveland. It was the first time they had met, and he was forcibly impressed by him. Mr. force, conviction, and strong common sense-after all the only sense worth having." They talked of matters of party policy generally, and also talked of men. Mr. Carlisle will not be able to visit New York next week, as his duties as Speaker will keep him in

Washington. Vice-President-elect Hendricks at Albany.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) ALBANY, N. Y., January 31.-Vice President-elect Hendricks was accompanied from his hotel to the railroad depôt by half a dozen friends, and left the 6 o'clock train for New York. While here it is understood he had a most important conference with Cleveland and Speaker Car-It is impossible to ascertain what was said or determined upon withdraw the charge, and the case will but it is believed the discussion concome before the Criminal Court. cerned the policy of the party, and was designed to bring about uniformity in the policy of the party. Mr. Hendricks was extremely reticent, and declined to say anything. It is understood to be his intention to proceed to New York and Washington, and thence to New

A Supposed Fraud Discovered.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW LONDON, CONN., January 31. George F. Marshall, local agent for the Underwriters, has discovered that the schooner Sarah Quinn, from Richmond, with pig-iron, which went ashore on the West Clump, Fisher's Island sound, was put there purposely in the hope of defrauding the insurance companies. The vessel is not in a dangerous posiyet. The captain contracted with the wreckers to take the schooner off for 50 per cent. salvage. He believed the scheme was concocted before the vessel left Richmond, and but for the investigation of Mr. Marshall the insurance would have be were not on the vessel; freight rates collected that were not carned, and three fourths of the vessel would have

seen sold to the underwriters for nore than the value of the whole ves more than the value of the whole vessel. The captain had previously given the crew liberty on abore. During their absence he had sold 5,000 pounds of

The Illinois Senatorial Imbregile.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

CHICAGO, January 31.—The Daily

News's Springfield correspondent says
the Republicans in the State Senate the Republicans in the State Senate have organized a scheme to cut off the Democrats from any benefit that might Democrats from any benefit that might accrue to them from gaining two members in the House as the result of throwing out Parker and Sittig, who were elected as Republicans, but who are liable to be unseated by contests, The plan is to use the Republican management. jority in the Senate to prevent a joint session of the two houses, and the prevent the election of United Stat senator. As the success of this pro-gramme could place the appointment of United States senator in the hands of Governor Oglesby, it is thought General Logan's friends look on the plan with

A telegram from Carrollton, Ill., says: State-Senator Bridges's condition remains unchanged. He cannot speak a word. No one from Springfield has yet seen him. It is stated that some alphabetical blocks have been placed beore him in the hope of being used as means to receive any communication from him, but he could not use them. Bank Pallure.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] PITTSBURGH, January 31 .- A special from Coshocton, Ohio, says : John G. Stewart, banker, the oldest house in this city, made an assignment to R. M. Voorhees to-day. Stewart's illness and possible death caused a run on the ank which it had not the currency to meet, as the bank had a long line of de positors and everything was considered absolutely safe. The failure caused great excitement. The assignee cannot nake a statement of the bank's affairs yet, but thinks it will pay depositors in full. Arkansas Senator Elected.

LITTLE ROCK, January 31 .- When the Legislature met in joint session ex-Governor Berry's letter withdrawing from the senatorial race was read. On the first ballot James K. Jones, representative from the Third congressiona district, was elected United States senator. The vote stood: Jones, 72; Dunn. 49 : C. R. Breckenridge, 3; necessary to a choice, 64.

LONDON, January 31 .- A man givin

the name of Newbold was arrested at Central station, of the Midland rail way, at Derby, to-day, with dynamite is his possession. He declined to give his history for the past month. He was examined before a magistrate. Evidence was produced against him in the tters received from the South of England threatening to blow up the Town Hall in Derby. He admitted that the handwriting on the envelopes containing the letters was his. When asked to explain away this evidence, Newbold said he could not, although he insisted he was innocent of any wrong. He said he replied to several advertisements about the time of the dates on the envelopes, and said the envelopes he had used in these replies must have fallen into bad hands and again used, and in this way came into the possession of the police. The prisoner is about twenty-nine years old. He gaye the name of Philip Newbold. The charge against him is "conspiracy to cause explosions." The chief constable asked the magistrate to remand the prisoner. He declared the detectives possessed other evidence against Newbold of a more serious and circumstantial character than that produced. third explosion was in Mueller's, and a He was remanded until February 7th. tention and constantly grow more serious. It is stated that the police found among the prisoner's papers a document revealing a dynamite plot of considera-ble magnitude. The document is not in Newbold's handwriting, but the envelope contained his address, which was proved to have been penned by himself, o that the recipient might know where to send the answer. During the proceedings the prisoner was very much

The Vatican's Representatives at Madrid. ROME, January 31 .- The Vatican has appointed Bishop Ruffoscilla, of Chieti, Papal Nuncio at Madrid, to supersede Monseigneur Rampalla Del Tindaro. This action is considered in diplomatic circles here to be significant. It is declared semi-officially that the Vatican was induced to make the change for reasons, the first of which is said to be the necessity which is felt for having Rome represented in Madrid by one of its ablest theologians, because of the growing politico-ecclesias tical nature of the debates in the Span ish Cortes. The second reason given for the change is the recent resignation of Signer Baguer from the post of secretary to the Spanish embassy at the Vatican.

STILL AT IT.

ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO WE ADVER-TISED TO MAKE GENTEEL AND GOOD PANTALOONS TO ORDER AT \$8.50 PER PAIR OR SUITS FROM SAME QUALITY OF GOODS AT \$35, THIS BEING ABOUT ONE THIRD OF THEIR FORMER PRICE BECAUSE OTHER DEALERS SAY THEY HAVE TRIED THIS AND FAILED IS NO REASON WHY WE CAN'T MAKE SUCCESS OF IT. THE VERY BEST EVIDENCE THAT WE CAN IS THAT WE

THIS INTIMATES THAT THESE ORDERS ARE FILLED FROM READY-MADE STOCK, THAT DON'T MAKE IT 80: BUT IT SHOWS WHAT MAY BE DONE

BY OTHERS.
THESE ORDERS ARE ALL FILLED CONSCIENTIOUSLY, EVERY GARMENT BEING CUT TO MEASURE, WELL MADE, AND FIT GUARANTEED. THE POINT IS SIMPLY THIS: WE ARE MAKING THESE GOODS TO ORDER FOR

LESS MONEY THAN OUR COMPETITORS SELL THEM FOR READY MADE. WE ARE DOING A GOOD TRADE, AND PLEASING OUR CUSTOMERS. DO YOU WE STILL HAVE A FAIR STOCK OF CHOICE PIECE GOODS, AND AS OUR CUTTER IS ONE THAT WE CAN VOUCH

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SLIO:
MISSES' FOXED BUTTON AND LACE
BOOTS, \$1:
MISSES' PEBBLE GOAT BUTTON BOOTS,

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LATE WEATHER REPORT. [Special telegram to the Disputch.] WASHINGTON, February 1-1 A. M.-For the Middle Atlantic States, armer, partly cloudy weather, with scal rains, easterly shifting to south-

resterly winds. For the South Atlantic States, loc raine, generally followed by fair weath-er, slight changes in temperature, winds shifting to westerly.

The Weather in Richmond Yesterday was cloudy and damp. Range of Thermometer Yesterday. 6 P. M. Midnight ..... Mean temperature 45 1-6 eath of Colonel McDaniel, the

[Baltimore Sun.] The death is announced at Mobile, Ala., on Wednesday last, of Colonel David McDaniel, the noted turfman, owner and trainer of Harry Bassett, Joe Daniels, Springbok, and other celebrated racers, who appeared on the Pimplico track when in the zenith of their racing powers. Colonel McDaniel was famous long before the war, especially in Virginia, North and South Carolina. After the war he went North and raced with more or less success at Jerome Park during its early days, after which he leased and managed race meetings at Secau-cus, near Hoboken, N. J. In 1869 Colonel S. D. Bruce bought at the Alexander sale for Colonel McDaniel the

horse afterwards known as Harry Bassett, which as a two-year-old in 1870 and as a three-year-old in 1871 won so many stake-honors that he made Col-Sugar unchanged Hogs quiet; com-mon and light. \$3.75a\$4.65; packing onel McDaniel not only wealthy, but also enriched the three or four gentlemen associated with him, and who were known as the McDaniel confederacy. Colonel McDaniel then owned Jo Daniels and Springbok, with which he won the Belmont stakes at Jerome in 1871 and 1873. Harry Bassett having won the race in 1871, and as the same three horses won a majority of their engagements, Colonel McDaniel headed the t of winning owners in those years, as Mr. Belmont did the year previous, and as Mr. Pierre Lorillard and the Dwyer Brothers have since done. Among other horses that Colonel Mc Daniel trained are Katie Pease, who won her share of the filly stakes in 1873, as also did Madge in 1874; Vigil, Virginius, Willie Burke, St. Sue Ryder, and a full brother of Harry Bassett, afterwards named Charley Howard, and with which he won the Kenner stakes at Saratoga in 1876. With a portion of his winnings Colonel McDaniel bought a large training and breeding establishment near Princeton. N. J., and land adjoining the race-track at Saratoga, on which he built two large training-stables and a comfortable residence. At Princeton he installed Harry Bassett at the head of the establishment. The tide of hi success finally turned, failure followed failure, the mares collected were sold, and in 1878 Harry Bassett died. Creditors then seized the Saratoga and Princeton properties, and in 1879 and 1880 Colonel McDaniel was reduced to training a public stable at Brighton A year or so later he went South, and after living for a time at Charleston he went to Memphis, where, for the last two years, he trained a small stable known as the Memphis. The horses were but of little account, and that, coupled with the Colonel's ill health, left the balance on the wrong side of the ledger at the end of the scason. The old Colonel had, however, already made calculations

he had but few, if any, equals.

for the coming season, and was at Mo-bile with a few horses when death ended

a most notable and famous career, for,

NEW YORK, January 31 .- There was a weak tone to the stock market at the opening of business this morning when the bears raided coal stocks and St. Paul on unfavorable reports, and prices generally declined [al]. was followed by heavy buying for long account, and prices advanced [a2, Delaware and Hudson, Lackawanna, Western Union, and Union Pacific being conspicuous therein. During the afternoon prices declined ½a½, but the last half hour of business was characterized by considerable spirit, and a general ad-zance ensued. Prices were irregular compared with yesterday's closing, but the fluctuations were not large either way. Sales, 221,000 shares. Noon.—Stocks better. Money, la

13 per cent. Exchange-Long, 483 a 4834; short, 4864a4864. Governments dull. States lower.

Evening .- Exchange, 4831. Money, al per cent. Sub-Treasury balances Gold, \$127,808; currency, \$20,-592, Governments strong; 4 per cents, 121½; 3 per cents, 1011 bid. State

BANK STATEMENT. New York, January 31.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Loans, decrease...... \$ 570,300 ..... 1,822,700 ecie, increase .... egal tenders, increase...... 83,600 593,400 Circulation, increase ...... 1.757,950 Reserve, increase .... The banks now hold \$53,870,975 in

excess of legal requirements. BALTIMORE. BALTIMORE, January 31 .- Virginia 6's, consols, 381; past-due coupons 36; new 10-40's, 32; new 3's, 53 North Carolina 6's old, 107. Bid to-

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. SATURDAY, January 31, 1885. SALES .- 1,000 Virginia new 3's at 52: 1,100 Richmond city 6's at 112;

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE RICHMOND, January 31, 1885. OFFERINGS.

900 do. at 112}, 100 do. at 112}.

WHEAT .- Mixed, 120 bushels. Red. 2.144 bushels, Total, 2,264 bushels, CORN.—White, 2,676 bushels. Mixed, 286 bushels. OATS .- 400 bushels.

MEAL.-400 bushels. SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT .- Red, 500 bushels prime Longberry at 98c.; 384 bushels prime Shortberry on private terms; 454 bush-els good to very good Shortberry at 90

CORN. — White, 292 bushels very good Virginia at 55c.; mixed, 120 bush-els very good to prime at 52 to 53c. OATS. - Mixed, 280 bushels very

We quote : Fine, \$2.25a\$2.50 ; superfine, \$2.25a\$3; extra, \$3.50a\$3.90; family, \$4.25a\$5; patent family, country, \$5a\$5.25. Market firmer MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK.
NEW YORK, January 31.—Cotton | paid to me speedily to ex-

quiet; sales, 14 bales; uplands, 114c.; Orleans, 114c.; consolidated net receipts, 11,515 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 157,405 bales; to the continent, 5.399 bales. South ern flour easier. Wheat—Spot a shade lower; ungraded red, 84a93c.; No. 2 red, February, 884a894c. Corn—Spot iale, lower; ungraded, 49a514c.; No. 2, February, 49ja49jc. Oats includer; No. 2, 37ja37jc. Hops firm. Coffee—Spot fair; Rio quiet at 89.50; No. 7 Rio, spot, \$7.90. Sugar quiet and unchanged. Molasses unchanged. Rice steady. Cotton-seed oil. 35a.38c. Rice steady. Cotton-seed oil, 36a3Sc. for crude, 40 je, for refined. Rosin dull at \$1.25a\$1.27\(\frac{1}{2}\). Turpentine steady at 37\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. Wool firm. Pork very dull; mess, \$13.25a\$13.50. Middles dull. Lard 2a4c. higher; western steam spot, \$7.124a87.15. Freights firm.

BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, January 31 .- Flou dull. Wheat-Southern steady and quiet; western firmer and quiet; southern red, 94a96c.; amber, 98c.; No. 1 Maryland, 934a94c.; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 884894c. Corn-Southern nominal; western, spot higher; futures steady; southern white, 55a56c.; yellow, 51a53c. Oats dull and firm; southern, 35a38c.; western white, 37a38c.; mixed, 34a 36c.; Pennsylvania, 34a37c. visions steady and quiet. Whiskey steady at \$1.20a\$1.21. Other articles unchanged. Freights dull. CINCINNATI.

44c. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed, 33c. Pork firm at \$12.25 Lard quiet at at \$6.90. Bulk-meats unchanged. Bacon unchanged. Whiskey steady at \$1.13.

CINCINNATI, January 31.—Flour unchanged. Wheat dull; No. 2 red,

86a87c. Corn unsettled; No. 2 mixed,

and butchers', \$4.40a\$4.70. CHICAGO. CHICAGO, January 31.—Flour un-changed. Wheat unsettled and lc. S12,000,000.

From the surplus, as appears in the bal-to each participating policy which shall be February, 764a771c. quiet and closed same as yesterday. Oats slightly higher; February, 274c. Oats signtly higher; rebruary, 214c. Mess-pork 10a124c. higher; cash, \$12.10a\$12.15. Lard a shade higher; cash, \$6.80a\$6.824. Whiskey firm at \$1.15. Sugar unchanged.

[Grain and Provision Circular.] CHICAGO, January 31-5 P. M .-C. E. Redford, 6 south Twelfth street Dear Sir .- Wheat is much steadier and less pressure to sell. Rain is reported in the Southwest, which causes some buying, as it would expose wheat-fields to cold; May wheat closing at 83 a 83 c., the later paid on curb. weakened on over 500 cars for Monday, much of which has been delayed by severe weather, closing at 40c, bid for May, with sales down to 39 c. Large receipts will be only temporary. We think it a safe purchase. Provisions steady and strong, with only moderate receipts of hogs, closing May pork, \$12.47; May lard, \$7.07; May ribs, \$6.37. The weather will influence \$6.37. The prices on Monday. McDermid & Co.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, January 31 .- Wheat nominally unchanged. Corn—No. 2 nixed, 43c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, mixed, 34c. Provisions strong. Bulk-meats-Shoulders, \$5; clear-rib. \$6.50; sides, \$6,874. Bacon—Shoulders, \$5.50; clear rib, \$7.25; sides, \$7.50. Sugarcured hams, \$10.25. Lard - Prime leaf, 98.50. ST LOUIS.

St. Louis, January 31.-Flour un changed. Wheat higher; No. 2 red, 844a854c. cash. Corn lower and slow; 35 a 36c, cash. Oats dull; 30 c. cash. Whiskey steady at \$1.14. Provisions Pork, 812,371. Lard nominal. steady. Bacon easier: long clear, \$6.80a\$6.90; short rib, \$7.05a\$7.10. WILMINGTON.

Turpentine steady at 27½c. Rosin quiet; strained, \$1 good, \$1.02½. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine steady;

WILMINGTON, N. C., January 31.

hard, \$1.15; yellow-dip and virgin, MILWAUKEE. MILWAUKEE, January 31.-Wheat firmer; No. 2 Milwaukee, cash, 764c. Provisions firmer. Mess pork, \$12.10 cashand February. Lard-Prime steam, \$6.83 cash and February. Hogs easier at \$4.25a\$4.60.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK, January 31.-Cotton-Net receipts, 97 bales; gross receipts, 6,066 bales. Futures closed easy; sales. 44,400 bales; February, \$11.12a\$11.13; March, \$11.17a\$11.18; April, \$11.25a \$11.26; May, \$11.35a\$11.36; \$11.45a\$11.46; July, \$11.55a\$11.56; August, \$11.65a\$11.66; September \$11.28a\$11.30; October, \$10.78; November, \$10.66a\$10.67. NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET.

[Reported for the Dispatch.] NORFOLK, January 31 .- Peanuts Best hand-picked, 5c. per pound; extra hand-picked, 3½c. per pound; other grades, 3a34c. per pound. Mar-

MINIATURE ALMANAC, FEB'RY 1, 1885. MINIATURE ALMANAC, FEB'RY 2, 1885. PORT OF RICHMOND, JANUARY 31, 1885. ARRIVED.

Steamer Roanoke, Couch, New York, mer-chandise and passengers, George W. Allen & Co., agents, Steamer Ariel, Gifford, Norfolk, United States mail, merchandise and passengers, L. B. Tatum, agent, SAILED. Bark Huntress, Gunn. Rio de Janeiro, lour, Dunlop & McCance; vessel, Curtis &

Bour, Famel Parker, Brig Engenie (British) Monroe, Bahia, Brig Engenie (British) Monroe, Bahia, Bour, Gallego Milis Manufacturing Compa-ny; vessel, J. T. Vaughan, Schooner Jesse W. Knight, Edwards, Bay-Churlis & Parker, Schooner Jesse W. Knight, Edwards, Bay-onne, staves; Curtis & Parker. . Schooner Alfred Keen, Greely, New York, pig Iron, J. N. Gordon agent; Vessel, Curtis & Parker. Schooner H. M. Buell, Steelman, Philadel-phia, railroad ties. Norvell, Leake & Co.; Vessel, Curtis & Parker. Schooner Jennie E. McNaughton, Adams, Western Branch, empty barrels; Vessel, Cur-tis & Parker.

PORT OF NEWPORT'S NEWS, JAN'Y 30. [By telegraph.]
ARRIVED.

Steamship John Hopkins. March, Providence, and sailed for West Point.
Steamship Seneca, Walker, West Point, and sailed for New York.
Steamship Edinburg (British), Irvine, Liverpool, for orders.
Steamship Blackstone, Kent, West Point, and sailed for Norfolk.
United States revenue cutter Hamilton United States revenue cutter Hamilton put in for coal, and proceeding after coaling, Schooner Annie Camp, Norfolk, PERSONAL.

THIS IS TO WARN ALL PARTIES I from harboring or crediting my wife.
ROENA ALLEN. She having left my bed
and board. I will not be responsible for any
debts contracted by her.
MILES C. ALLEN. TO MY FRIENDS AND FORMER PATRONS: Having lately returned to the city of Richmond, I respectly OFFER MY SERVICES AS SURGION AND PHY-SICIAN.
Office, 612, corner Seventh and Grace streets. Residence, 114 north Seventh streets.

ATKINSON & TEMPLE HAVING A transferred all their debts of every kind to me, as trustee. I request all persons having claims against them to present them to me for payment, and notify all persons indebted to them that every claim must be taild to me speedily to eave the payment of

INSURANCE | ATAPERENTA STATEMENT OF THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF NEW F. S. WINSTON. FOR THE YEAR ENDING ASSETS. ANNUITY 61 66 828,565 97 INSURANCE No. 1 Amount. Jan. 1, 1884..... \$349.946.039 34.673.989 192,184 \$377,622,021 \$94,972,108 86 18,850,258 43 0,245,059 95 To premiums received...... To interest and rents

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ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCA CEMBER, 1884, OF THE ACTUAL CO INSURANCE COMPANY, ORGANIZE, OF NEW YORK, MADE TO THE AC THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINI ERAL ASSEMBLY REGULATING TI NIES, APPROVED FEBRUARY 22, 18

Character of the company, whether pany—Fire.

President—Is ac MUNSON,
Vice-President—E. F. CARTER.
Secretary—H. M. Syevers.
Treasurer—SIDNEY COOPER.
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American Express Co. bonus.

Total par and market value, and amount loaned thereon.

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National Bank. \$50.030.19—total.
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The liabilities of said company: sclaims for adjusted and unpaid losses, d. losses in process of adjustment or in suspense, inclusing all reported and supposed losses.

s resisted, including interest, costs, and other ex-

Total unearned premiums as computed Cash dividends to stockholders remaining All other demands and liabilities against contingent, not enumerated above.......

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STATE OF NEW YORK—COUNTY OF JEFFERS
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of deeds, &c., to be used or recorded therein,
dent, and H. M. STRYENS, Secretary, of the
of Watertown, who, being duly sworn, depo
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DECEMBER 31, 1804. ACCOUNT. . 08 | \$28,345 97 ACCOUNT. \$351,799,990 25,632,736 122.184 \$377.522,021 ACCOUNT. \$ 5,226,820 1 By paid death claim By paid matured 2,490,454 99 3.111,101 11 1 017,496 17

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By real estate.

By cash in banks and trust compenies at inferest.

By interest accrued.

By premiums deferred, quarterly and semi-annual. 6,644,988 34

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E AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS. NCE COMPANY.

LYEAR ENDING THE SIST DAY OF DE-DITION OF THE AGRICULTURAL FIRE-DUNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE DITOR OF FUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR A. PURSUANT TO AN ACT OF TREGEN-EREPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPA-Name of the company in full—Agricul, Tural, Insurance Company, Home or principal office of said company y-Waterown, N. Y. Bre and marine, or marine in

GEORGE D. PLEASANTS & SON.

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Gross amount actually paid for losses (including \$29,641.37, \$397.000 94

By premiums in transit, principally for December. By suspense account. By agents' balances 138,714 A1 37,314 16 7,196 90 \$103,876,178 51

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GENERAL AGENTS, Baltimore, Md.

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